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APIL military claims conference 2024

HYBRID EVENT



Attend in person or virtually
Thursday, 29 February 2024
Marriott Marble Arch Hotel, London

“Women in the armed forces”

APIL is delighted to be heading back to London for their 10th annual military claims conference, which has been carefully developed by the joint coordinators of APIL's military claims special interest group.

This will be a hybrid event and delegates will be invited to attend the programme in-person or virtually.

If delegates are unable to view the programme on the day of the live event, they can watch the recordings, on demand, for a period of six months. Please note that the recordings will be available to view from Thursday, 7 March.

Topics include*:

- Women in the armed forces
- Service complaints and civil claims
- Serious sexual assaults in the military
- Criminal injury claims and the CICO Scheme
- Discrimination
- The Death of Olivia Perks
- Panel session: Hot tips to litigate against the MOD

“The conference was very well organised, engaging and relevant”.

“An exceptionally good conference. Great choice of topics & very knowledgeable speakers”.

“An excellent array of topics and speakers”.

*Topics, speakers and CPD hours may be subject to change

APIL accreditation
All levels - 5.75 CPD hours

Prices starting from
£320 + VAT

Attend in person

Invaluable face-to-face networking opportunities

Access to electronic conference pack

Participate in live Q&A sessions

Access to the recording of the conference (available from Thursday, 7 March)

Refreshments and sit-down lunch

Virtual only package

View the virtual programme live or on demand - via APIL's conference app - either on your desktop or mobile device

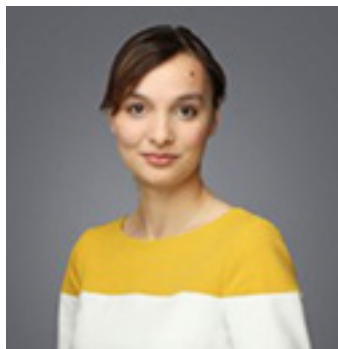
Access to electronic course materials

Participate in Q&A via your keyboard

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Speakers



Aliyah Akram
Outer Temple
Chambers, London



Chris Allen
Exchange Chambers,
Liverpool



Ahmed Al-Nahhas
Bolt Burdon Kemp,
London



Ben Collins KC
Old Square
Chambers,
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Suzi Donoghue
DJ Fox
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Old Square
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Charlotte Law
Kings Chambers,
Manchester



Stuart McCracken
Exchange Chambers,
Manchester



Simon Quinn
Hilary Meredith
Solicitors, Wilmslow



Michael Rawlinson KC
Kings Chambers,
Manchester

Conference programme*

9.00am – 9.30am Registration and refreshments (in-person delegates only)

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9.30am – 9.35am Introduction and welcome to the conference

Morning chair: Simon Quinn, Joint coordinator of APIL's Military Claims SIG, Hilary Meredith Solicitors, Wilmslow

9.35am – 10.20am Women in the armed forces

- Challenges, benefits and opportunities for women in the Armed Forces from a personal perspective
 - A brief look at some of the changes that have occurred including post the Atherton Report
 - Considerations and factors influencing employment reports
- Speaker: Suzi Donoghue, DJ Fox & Associates, Wincanton

10.20am – 11.05am Service complaints and civil claims

- A short guide to bringing a service complaint.
- Appeals – why bother?
- The interaction between service complaints and civil claims
- Strategy and tactics

Speaker: Ahmed Al-Nahas, Head of Military Claims Team, Bolt Burdon Kemp, London

11.05am – 11.25am Mid-morning break

11.25am – 12.10pm Serious sexual assaults in the military

Speaker: Stuart McCracken, Barrister, Exchange Chambers, Manchester

12.10pm – 12.45pm Criminal injury claims and the CICO Scheme

- Civil claims
- Pros and cons
- Benefits of the Scheme

Speaker: Chris Allen, Barrister, Exchange Chambers, Liverpool

12.45pm – 1.45pm Lunch

1.45pm – 1.50pm Welcome back

Afternoon chair: Ahmed Al-Nahas, Head of Military Claims Team, Bolt Burdon Kemp, London

1.50pm – 2.40pm Discrimination

- Discrimination claims
- Protected characteristics
- Choice of venue – courts vs employment tribunals
- Available remedies
- Tips for claims involving service personnel

Speakers: Ben Collins KC and Bruno Gil, Old Square Chambers, London

2.40pm – 3.30pm The Death of Olivia Perks

- In-depth review of the case
- Disclosure from the MOD
- What this means for women at RMA Sandhurst and the protection of service women

Speakers: Michael Rawlinson KC and Charlotte Law, Kings Chambers

3.30pm – 3.50pm Mid-afternoon break

3.50pm – 5.00pm Panel session: Hot tips to litigate against the MOD

Chaired by: Ahmed Al-Nahas, Head of Military Claims Team, Bolt Burdon Kemp, London

Panellists:

Aliyah Akram, Barrister, Outer Temple Chambers, London

Chris Allen, Barrister, Exchange Chambers, Liverpool

Simon Quinn, Joint coordinator of APIL's Military Claims SIG, Hilary Meredith Solicitors, Wilmslow

5.00pm Close of conference

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